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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Dieter MAISCH

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For:

Valve Magnet

Washington, DC 20231

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Examiner: Lincoln D. Donovan

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AMENDMENT

SIR:

Applicant hereby requests a one-month extension of the original shortened statutory response period set in the Office Action of June 11, 2002. A Credit Card Payment Form in the amount of \$110 in payment of the government fee for a one-month extension of time is enclosed herewith.

In response to the Office Action of June 11, 2002, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

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